



Groundsman

Are you eager to drive significant change in the educational and holistic well-being of children from under-resourced communities in South Africa?

We prepare our graduates to achieve upward economic mobility , demonstrate good citizenship and become empowered to identify and realise their goals, dreams, and human potential by providing full scholarships at no cost to students from underprivileged communities. Our commitment extends over a 19-year period, encompassing a comprehensive, high-quality educational experience that adheres to national standards.

Christel House has established a global network of fourteen schools providing education from Grade RR to 12. Among these, our Cape Town centre, launched in 2002, stands as the first of potentially more Christel Houses to be established in Africa. This pioneer institution currently impacts twenty local communities by providing an all-encompassing 19-year educational journey. Our focus is on nurturing strong ethical values and providing a plethora of supportive services, which include professional health care, balanced meals, psychosocial counseling, and family assistance.

About the position: We are in search of **a Groundsman** who will be responsible for maintaining our grounds and practice fields in an excellent condition. Their responsibilities will include but will not be limited to mowing and watering the lawn, fertilizing and attending to the trees and plants on the premises. Further responsibilities includes cleaning and painting as well as keeping our facilities and surrounding areas free from trash, litter, debris and weeds.

Key Responsibilities and Requirements:

Reporting to the Maintenance Supervisor the candidate will be responsible for the following:

1. Ensure all daily tasks in terms of maintenance schedule is performed timeously and accurately, according to the agreed standard,
2. Able to operate basic hand tools, electrical tools and other equipment related to the function,
3. Practice applicable safety guidelines and procedures while performing their job,
4. Perform minor repairs/fixes such as repairing broken locks, etc
5. Stay updated with the latest strategies, incorporating innovative approaches to grounds maintenance

The candidates must fulfill the following requirements:

1. Matric Certificate,
2. Minimum of 3 years experience in maintenance work and /or gardening,
3. Demonstrate ability to operate hand and electric tools and other relevant equipment,
4. Conduct basic audits, tool inspections, maintain stock levels and report all shortages to Supervisor,
5. Have a keen eye for detail and a reliable worker, motivated by pride in the final product,
6. Hard worker, possessing the manual skills and physical stamina,
7. Clear criminal record,
8. Driver's license will be advantageous
9. Contactable references.

Application Process: Please send your curriculum vitae and evidence of your credentials to the Operations Manager at recruit@sa.christelhouse.org .Ensure the subject line reads '**Application for Groundsman Position**'. All applications must be received by **30 October 2026**

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